

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **HOJO, Hisakazu, et al.**

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For: **FOOD ADDITIVE COMPOSITION, AND FOOD COMPOSITION CONTAINING SAME**

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2010, the following remarks are respectfully submitted:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.